

John Rogers - Extension

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Permit number S039027 unpermitted mine site east of Mt. Pleasant

Dear Mr. Wilhite,

I am responding to our conversation concerning your mining operation east of Mt. Pleasant and the cessation order (MC2010-41-1) that was served on April 15, 2010. The order indicated that you needed to respond by May 15, 2010. This date has since passed, with no indication from you what your plans are. Per our conversation today, if you request an extension, the Division will grant it until the close of business June 8, 2010. If a request for an extension is not received, then \$750 per day penalty will be assessed immediately for up to 30 days. At this time the Division will need either:

1. A completed Notice of Intent (NOI) for your mine, if you desire to continue mining, a \$15,000 bond and a completed reclamation contract.
2. If you desire to walk away from the operation and stop mining, a bond of \$5000 is needed to cover the reclamation of the vegetation. **A letter from the land owner is not sufficient for the revegetation process.** A cash bond or equivalent is necessary.

If an extension is requested through June 8 and the Division receives no response from you after that date, under the failure to abate a cessation order a fine of \$750 per day will be assessed for up to 30 days. You will have the right to appeal. You will have the right to appeal either the bond requirement of \$5000 or the failure to abate a cessation order fine. However, this must be done before the June 3, 2010 deadline if you request an extension. To schedule this contact Paul Baker at 801-538-5261.

It is essential that you reply to this notification and ask for an extension to preserve your rights to an appeal. Please email your request for an extension, if you desire, to johnrogers@utah.gov. **The extension is not automatic.** If you have any question, please contact John Rogers at 801-538-5349 or Paul Baker at 801-538-5261.

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